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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

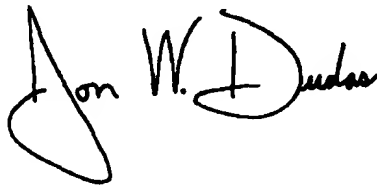
Title page.

Item [54], Title, should read as follows:

-- **METHODS FOR SYNTHESIZING 2-CHLORO-9-(2-DEOXY-2-FLUORO- $\beta$ -D-ARABINOFURANOSYL)-9H-PURIN-6-AMINE** --.

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized, with a large loop for the "J" and a distinct "Dudas" at the end.

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